(ग) जी, हां। इन प्रभारों के भुगतान करने पर और आवश्यक कागजात प्रस्तुत करने पर, दिल्ली विकास प्राधिकरण खरीददार के पक्ष में हस्तांतरण पत्र निष्पादित और पंजीबद्ध करेगा। स्वभावतः खरीददार को सामान्य स्टाम्प अन्तरण शुल्क और पंजीकरण शुल्क का भुगतान करना होगा।

(घ) केवल 24 आवेदन प्राप्त हुए हैं, जिनमें से 10 मामलों में पहले से ही अनुमति प्रदान की जा चुकी है। शेष 14 मामलों में, औपचारिकतायें पूरी हो जाने के पश्चात्, शीघ्र ही अनुमति दे दी जायेगी।

Affairs of the sugar mills taken ove, by Government in 1978-79

427. SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA; Will the Minister of FOOD AND' CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government have handed over eight sugar factories to their respective managements which were taken over for five years in. 1978-79;

(b) if so, what is the outstanding amount against each of these factories, separately on account of bank loans, Government dues and *the* interest accrued thereon stating the mode of recovery;

(c) the years upto which audit in respect of each of tnese sugar factories has been completed stating the reasons for the non-completion of audit formalities in respect of the remaining years; and

(d) the number of vigilance cases initiated against the custodians of these sugar factories stating the period of their pendency in the courts and the progress in each case?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) At present there is no sugar undertaking whose management is vested in the Central Government under the Sugar Undertakings (Taking Over of Management) Act, 1978. In fact, all the sugar undertakings whose managements were vested in the Central Government under this Act during 1978-79 have been denotified.

(b) Scheduled banks were providing only cash credit facilities against hypothecation of the sugar stocks produced by the undertakings, whose managements were vested in the Central Government. However, loan assistance was extended by the Central Government to these factoris from time to* time to meet the working capital requirements etc. The amount of principal outstanding on the date of denotification of these undertakings, which is recoverable in instalments alongwith interest @ 14 per cent per annum, is indicated below; — (Rs. in lakhs)

Name of the Undertaking	Amount
Ajudhia	568·76
Deoria	362·87
Shree Sitaram	347·53
Keshoraipatan	209·55
Jijamata	412·27
Cauvery	65·31
R.B.N. Singh, Lhaksar	693·39
Seksaria, Babhnan	341·32

(c) The audit of accounts for the entire capital management period in respect of Joint Stock factories have been completed. The audit of the accounts of the undertakings in the coopeartive sector is the responsibility of the State Government.

(d) No vigilance case against the Custodians appointed by the Central Government during the period t'he undertakings were under Central Government management is pending in the courts.

Joint Stock and Co-operative Sugar Factories

428. SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Joint Stock and Co-operative Sugar Factories alongwith their names in the country which took advantage of the 1975 Incentives Scheme of Gov-

ernment and are continuing to take its advantage;

(b) what is the number of cases if any, in which the incentives scheme has been misused by the sugar factories alongwith names stating the manner in which the incentives have been misused by these factories; and

(c) what is the number of cases, if any pending in the law courts and what is the progress made in respect of'each of them?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) The number of sugar factories which have taken advantage of the incentive scheme from 1975 are 30; n the Joint Stock sector, 117 in the Cooperative Sector and 18 in the Public Sector. The attached statement gives the names of the factories, Sector-wise. *[See* Appendix CXLI, Annexure No. 15]

(b) No instance of misuse of incentives by factories which have been granted incentives as per their eligibility, has come to notice.

(c) At present, there are 15 cases in various. courts, out $_0$f which, in five cases, . *at* courts have granted incentives to tnc "actories by way of interim orders. In the remaining 10 cases, no orders for interim relief have been given by the courts. All the 15 cases are now sub-judice.

Buffer Stock of Sugar

429. SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state;

(a) whether Government had created buffer stock of sugar in 1983-84 which was stored in the godowns of the sugaer facto ries in the country:

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) what is the annual amount of interest paid to the sugar factories, (yearwise) arid what is the outstanding amount, if any. of interest in respect of each of the sue t factories?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT); (a) and (b) Yes. Sir. An initial buffer stock of 5 Lakh tonnes was created by Government of India with effect from 1-10-1982, and an additional buffer stock of another 5 lakh ton-necs was created with effect from 1-10-1983. These stocks were to be maintained by the sugar factories.

(c) In all, 322 sugar mills maintained the buffer stocks, which were required to submit claims for reimbursement of the carrying costs etc., for the period from 1st October 1982 to 31 31st October, 1984 only Out of about 4, 000 quarterly subsidy claims received, only a small number of So, far, an amount of Rs. 78. 30 crores claims is pending for want of material information from the concerned factories. So, far an amount of Rs. 78. 30 crores has been sanctioned. The factorywise details of claims pending are being compiled and will be laid on the table of the House.

Supply of drinking water in famine affected

430. SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK; Will the Minister of AGRICUL-TURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is an acute shortage[1] of drinking water in various States of the country in which severe drought conditions hav$_e$ been prevailing;

(b) whether Government have made any special arrangement for the supply of drinking water in the rural areas where famine conditions have been prevailing; and

(c) if so, the funds allocated for this purpose?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAM ANAND YADAV); (a) Several States and Union Territories have reported drought conditions during post-monsoon period of 1986 resulting in shortage of drinking water.